

WHAT ON
EARTH ARE YOU
SAYING?

GLANCE





JUST
HELP ME OUT,
WILL YOU?

I CANNOT
DRIVE HER AWAY
ON MY OWN...

SO WHAT? TAKE
CARE OF IT YOURSELF.
YOU'RE STRONG
ENOUGH!



I CANNOT...
THAT WOMAN IS MUCH
MORE FRIGHTENING
THAN I AM.

SHE'S...
STRONGER

STRONGER
THAN YOU?



THEN HOW
ON EARTH AM I
SUPPOSED TO...

FLINCH







H-HELLO!
MY NAME IS
SI-EUN BAN.

I-I DON'T KNOW
WHO YOU ARE, BUT...
I WAS WITH LAHAN!

ARE YOU
KIDDING ME?
SHE'S JUST



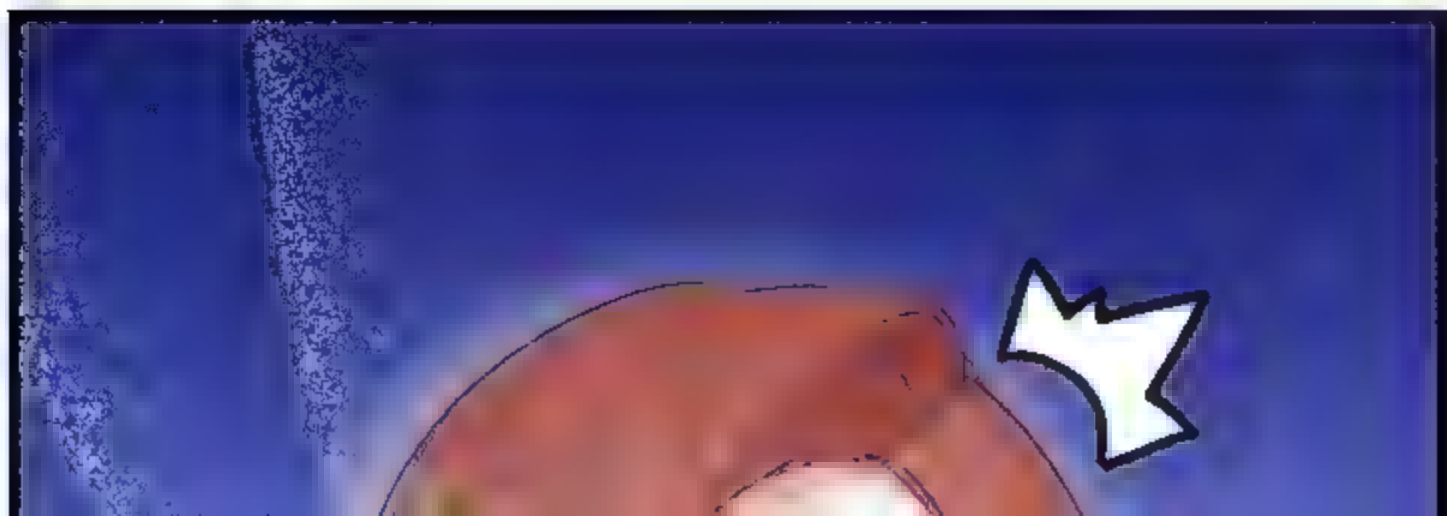
AN ORDINARY
WOMAN!

DO NOT BE FOOLED
BY HER APPEARANCE!
THAT WOMAN HAS BEEN
TORMENTING ME MY
WHOLE LIFE!



STEP







WH-WHAT?
I WAS JUST
TRYING TO TALK
WITH LAHAN...

GET OUT OF
HERE.





A-ALL
RIGHT...

I-I'M
SO SORRY!





NOW
I LOOK LIKE A
STALKER!



I FEEL
GUILTY FOR SOME
REASON...

AWKWARD

BEAM





OOH!
HOW IMPRESSIVE,
MASKED BOY!
GREAT JOB!
HAHAHA!

IS SHE REALLY
THAT STRONG, THOUGH?
SHE DIDN'T LOOK IT.

WHY,
DID YOU FALL
FOR HER?

WHACK

WOBBLE

KERGH!

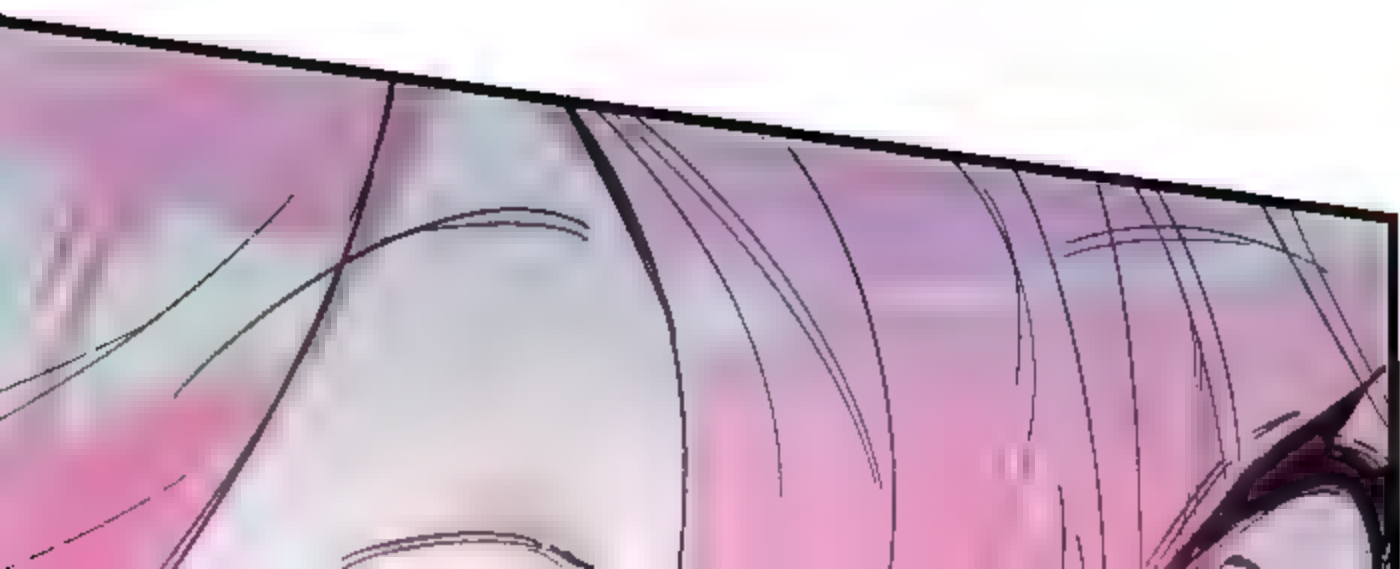
Grilled
Shrimp

THIS
ONE'S WAY MORE
FRIGHTENING, JUST
LIKE I THOUGHT!

WOBBLE



WHOOOSH





SHOVE



WHAT THE-?!
WHY DID YOU
PUSH--

CRASH





WH...

WHAT
THE HELL?! THAT
NEARLY KILLED ME!

NEARLY KILLED ME!
IS IT A RUSTY
SIGN?!

SIZZLE



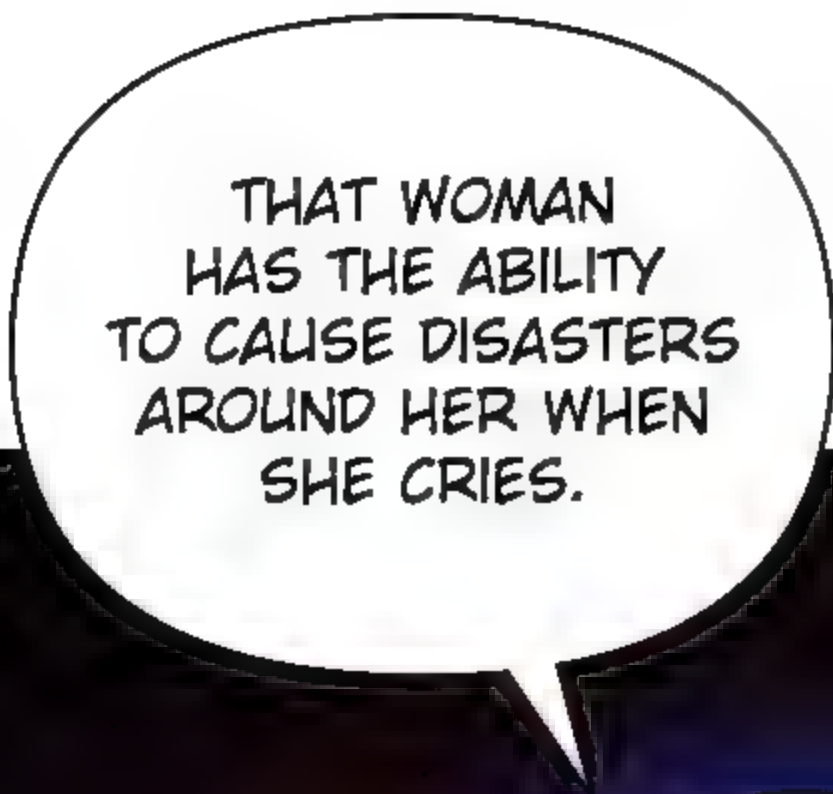


NO, THIS WAS
NOT RUST. IT IS THAT
WOMAN'S ABILITY.

Me



WHAT?!



THAT WOMAN
HAS THE ABILITY
TO CAUSE DISASTERS
AROUND HER WHEN
SHE CRIES.

TAP

IT IS A
FRIGHTENING
ABILITY EVEN
I CANNOT
AVOID.

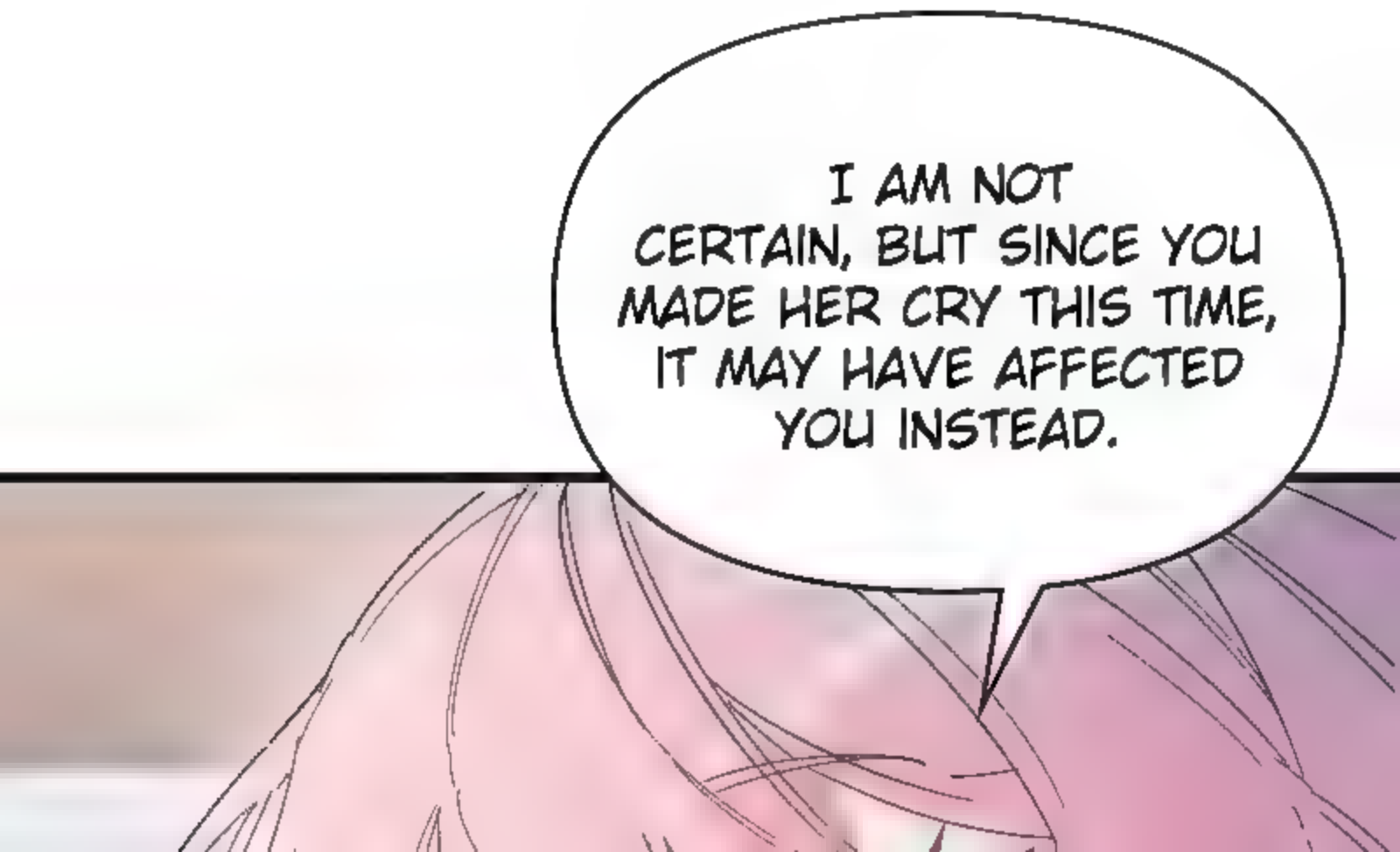
THAT'S
RIDICULOUS.
THERE'S NOTHING THAT
CAN'T BE EXPLAINED
BY SCIENCE--







NEVER MIND,
THERE IS.



I AM NOT
CERTAIN, BUT SINCE YOU
MADE HER CRY THIS TIME,
IT MAY HAVE AFFECTED
YOU INSTEAD.



RUNNING
FAR AWAY FROM HER
IS THE ONLY SOLUTION,
SO GO AHEAD AND
GET TO SAFETY.

TEN CUIDADO.*

WAVE



STEP

WHOA

W-WAIT! YOU
CAN'T JUST LEAVE
LIKE THAT!

*TAKE CARE

UNLIKE

UNLIKE
YOU, I COULD
ACTUALLY DIE!

CRAP,
I SHOULDN'T HAVE
HELPED HER AFTER
ALL. WHAT WAS I
THINKING?!

WHY WOULD
I EVER--

WHIRR





IS THAT
WOMAN WITH THE
GLASSES A PSYCHIC
TOO, THEN?

THWACK



WHIRR

OH, SORRY!
I DIDN'T SEE YOU THERE
BECAUSE YOU GOT UP
SO SUDDENLY.

The New Hire is the Demon Lord.

Story HAUNI Art Soobni

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SUNDAY



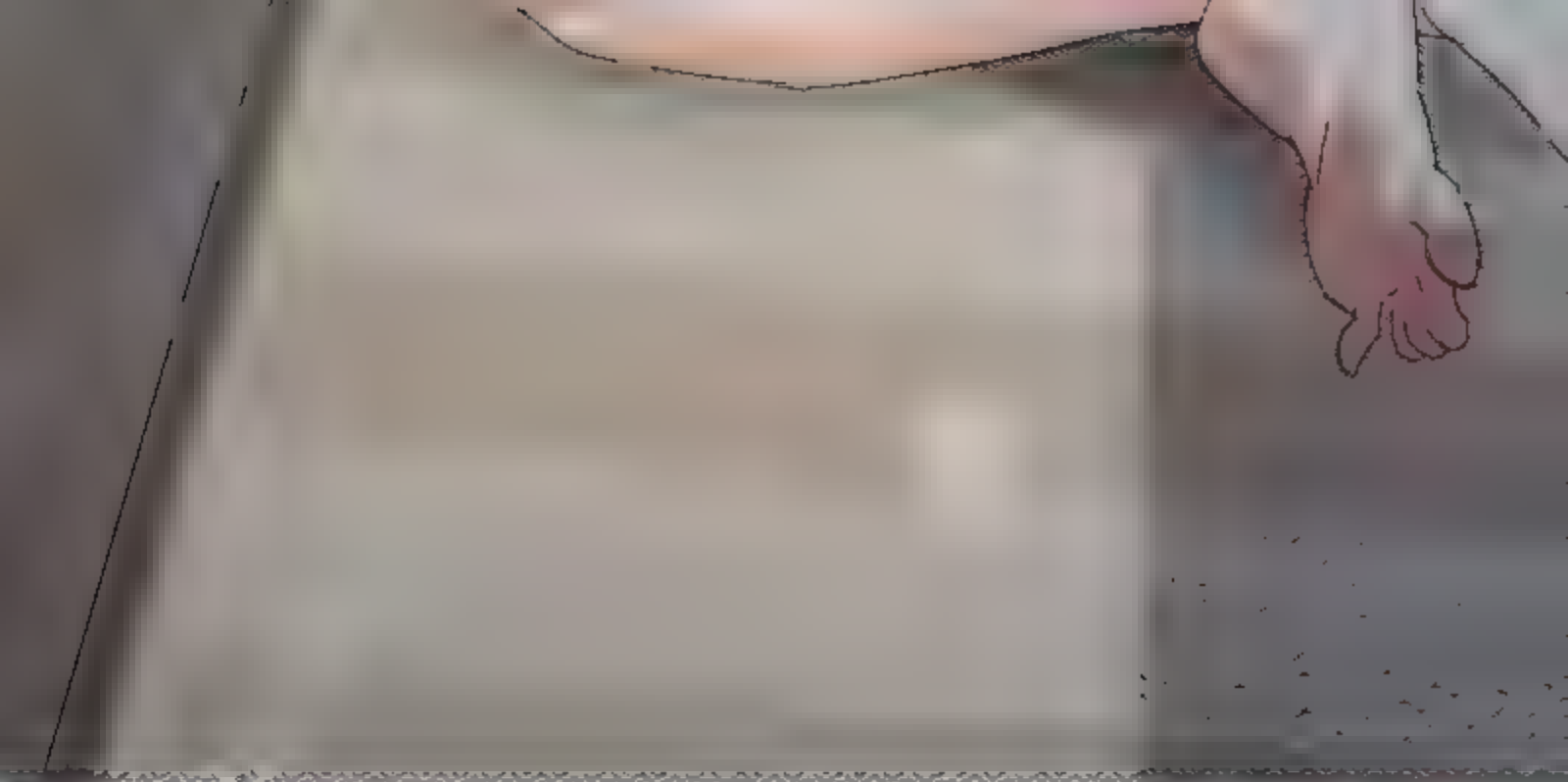
GLUG



GLUG

PHEW





IT'S SUNDAY, BUT
I HAVE NOTHING
TO DO.

FWUMP

YAWN







IT'S TOO
HOT TODAY,
YONGRAE!



THAT LINE IS
WAY TOO LONG.
HOW LONG WILL WE
HAVE TO WAIT? I'M
REALLY SWEATY
AND HUNGRY...

FWISH



FWISH

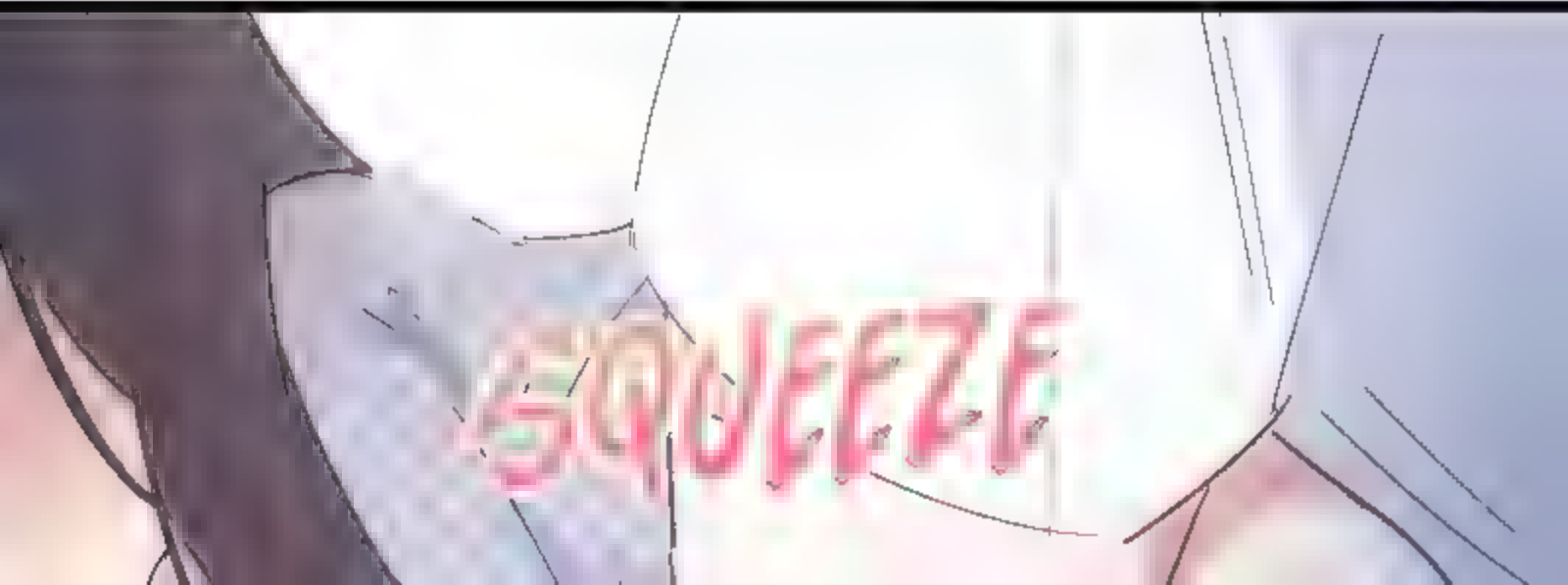
IT CAN'T TAKE
TOO LONG, RIGHT?
YOU WANTED TO COME
HERE, AFTER ALL.

I EXPECTED
YOU TO BE SENSIBLE
ENOUGH TO GET HERE
FIRST AND STAND
IN LINE AHEAD
OF TIME.

WHY DIDN'T
YOU WEAR YOUR
CONTACTS? WE HAVEN'T
BEEN ON A DATE IN A
WHILE, YOU
KNOW.



YOU'RE
RIGHT... I'M SORRY.
SHOULD WE JUST GO
ELSEWHERE?





IT'S
FINE! I JUST
ENJOY SPENDING
TIME WITH YOU
AFTER ALL.





YOU'RE HOT
TOO, AREN'T YOU?
I'LL GO AND GET US
SOME COLD DRINKS,
SO WAIT HERE,
OKAY?

ALL RIGHT!

HAHA



SUJIN
WAS SO NICE
TO ME...

TEARY



I'M SAD...

CHIRP



CHIRP

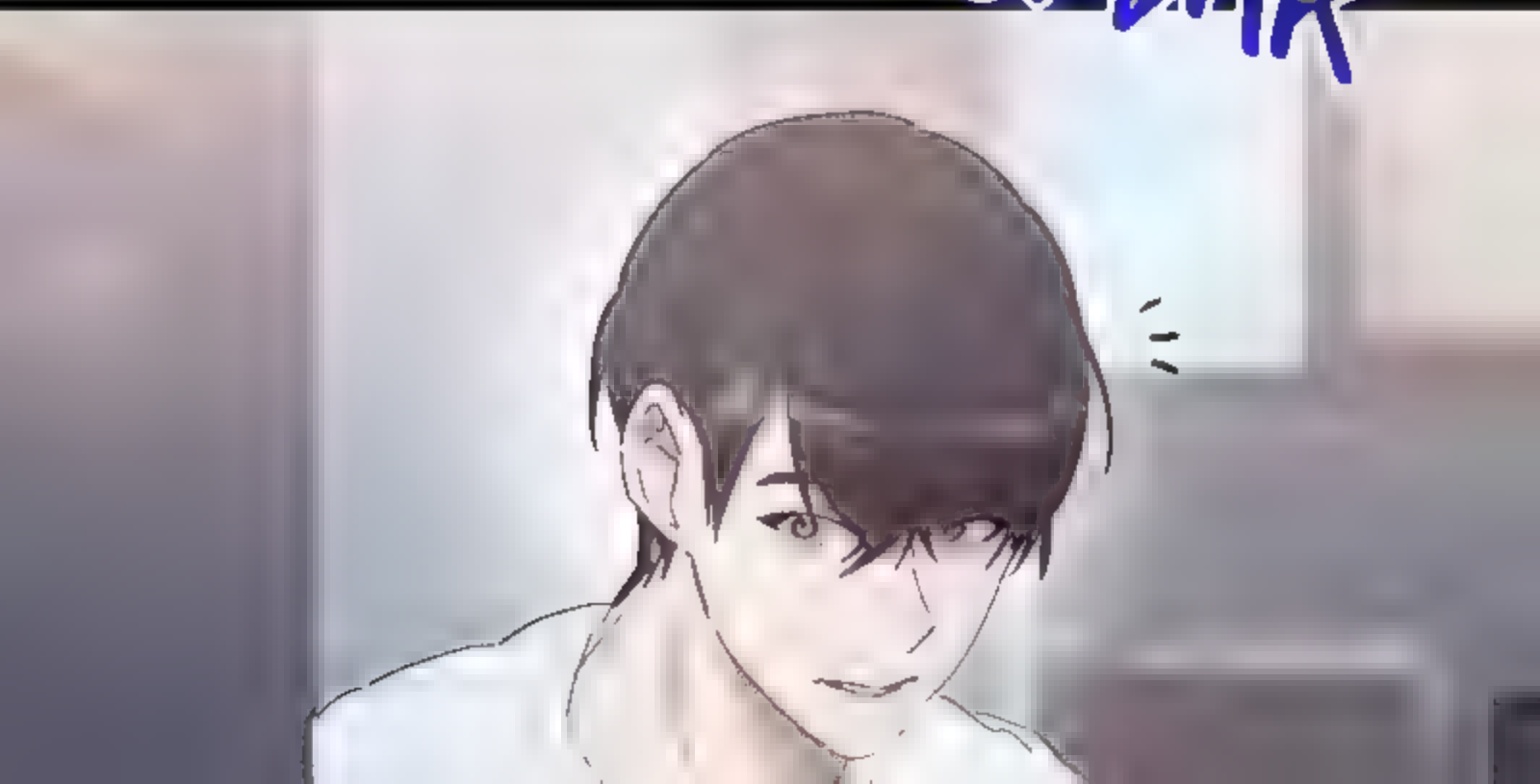
KNOCK

!!
KNOCK





CREAK





WHO IS IT?

OH, YOU'RE
HOME, YONGRAE!
IT'S ME, THE
LANDLADY.





WHAT ARE YOU
DOING AT HOME IN THE
DARK ON A WEEKEND?
YOUNG PEOPLE LIKE YOU
SHOULD BE OUT
AND ABOUT!

OH

I WAS

SLEEPING.
HAHA...

WHAT
BRINGS YOU
HERE?

IT'S NOTHING MUCH,
BUT YOUR CONTRACT IS



RUNNING OUT SOON,
RIGHT?

OH, RIGHT!
I WAS THINKING OF
EXTENDING IT.

I SEE! THIS
ROOM IS QUITE NICE,
ISN'T IT?

IT'S ABOVE
GROUND AND HAS A
NICE VIEW!



HAHA,
IT REALLY IS.
FINDING A PLACE
THIS NICE ISN'T
EASY.

SO ANYWAY,
WE HAVE TO
RAISE THE DEPOSIT

A LITTLE.



PARDON?!
BY HOW
MUCH?

I'M SORRY.
I REALLY DON'T
WANT TO RAISE IT EITHER,
BUT THERE'S BEEN SO
MUCH INFLATION,
RIGHT?



*ABOUT 20,000 USD.

YOU'LL NEED
TO DEPOSIT AN
EXTRA TWENTY
MILLION WON.*



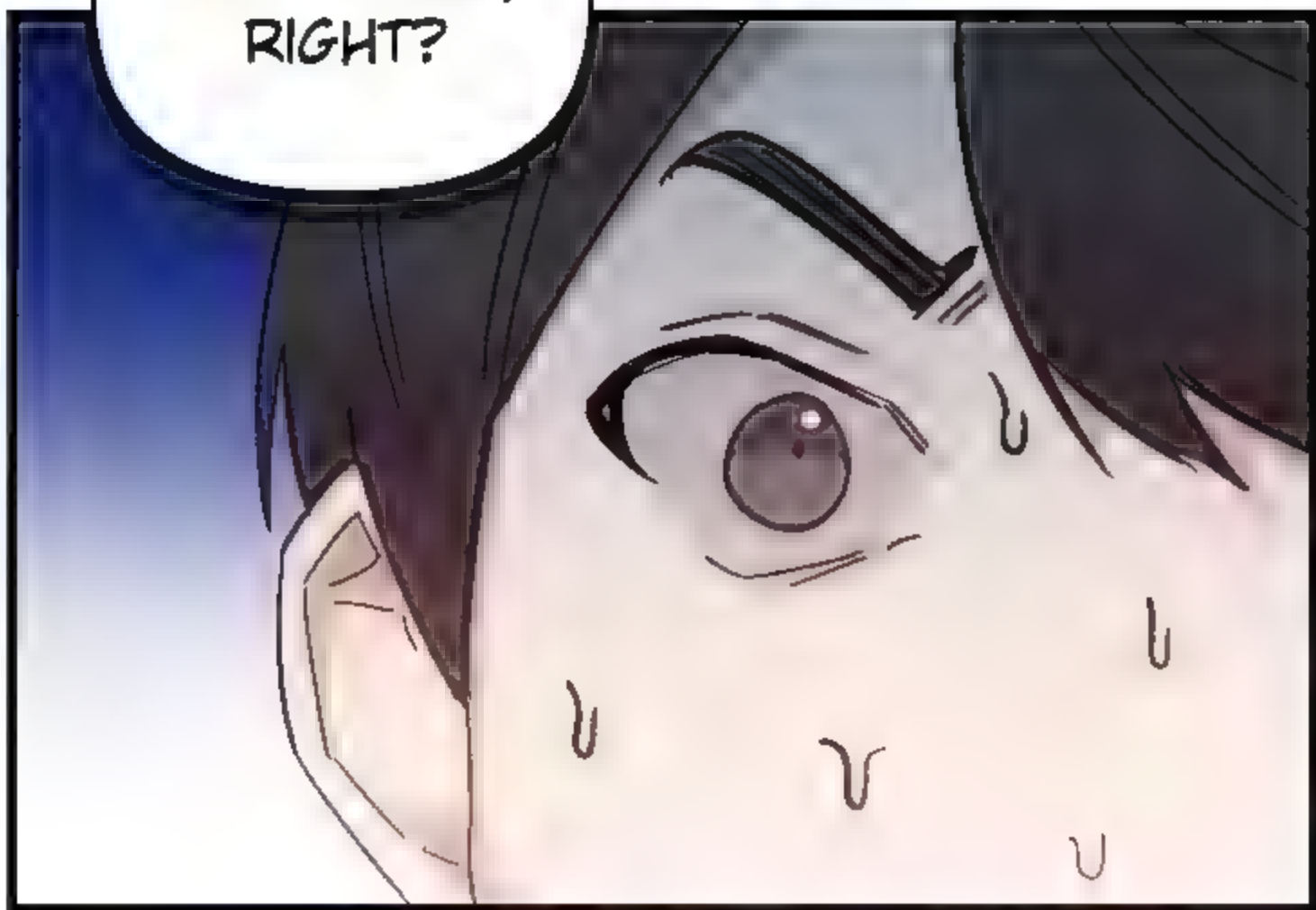
T-TWENTY
MILLION?!

MY HUSBAND
KEPT NAGGING ME
ABOUT THIS,
YOU KNOW!

I TOLD HIM
WE SHOULD BE
CONSIDERATE OF THE
FACT THAT YOU JUST
JOINED THE WORKFORCE,

YONGRAE, SO THIS IS
A MINIMM RAISE.

THAT'S FINE,
RIGHT?







THINK ABOUT
IT AND LET ME
KNOW!



STEP

SIGH

STEP



A hand holding a pen is shown in the bottom left corner, writing on a document. The document has a green header and a blue body. The word "BEEP" is written in red, stylized letters on the right side of the document.

HOW AM
I SUPPOSED
TO COME UP WITH
TWENTY MILLION
WON OUT OF
NOWHERE?

BEEP



*ABOUT 5 USD
AND 0.1 USD
RESPECTIVELY.

THAT'LL
BE 5,200 WON*.
WOULD YOU LIKE A
PLASTIC BAG FOR
100 WON*?

A close-up illustration of a hand holding a green cucumber. The hand is light-skinned and has a pinky finger extended. The cucumber is green with a small brown stem. The background is a soft-focus blue and white.

NO, THAT'S
ALL RIGHT.

A character with long, dark, wavy hair is shown from the chest up. They are looking down with a serious expression. The background is a soft-focus blue and white.

I NEED
TO SAVE AS
MUCH MONEY
AS I CAN.

BEEP BEEP

BEEP



GLANCE

OH, IT SAYS
YOUR CARD WAS
DECLINED.

PARDON?
THAT MAKES
NO SENSE...

A young man with dark, slightly messy hair is shown in profile, looking towards the right. He has a surprised expression, with wide eyes and a small open mouth. He is wearing a light blue shirt. The background is a soft, out-of-focus blue.

BEEP BEEP

IT SAYS YOU
DON'T HAVE ENOUGH
MONEY ON YOUR
CARD.

C-COULD
YOU LEAVE OUT
THE GIMBAP,
THEN?

IT STILL
WON'T WORK.

BEEP BEEP BEEP



AND
THE DRINK...

BEEP BEEP BEEP

...



AND
THE INSTANT
NOODLE...

JINGLE

COME AGAIN!





LET'S STAY
STRONG!

THINGS
WILL GET BETTER
ONE DAY!

LIJEONG BYEON (27)
JOB: ACTOR FOR THE
PAST SEVEN YEARS
APPEARED IN 15
PRODUCTIONS

NO ONE
RECOGNIZES ME...

SCROLL

Three Braised Chickens

87,000 won

Debit Card

Tyranno Coffee

-15,000 won

118,500 won

Debit Card

-15,000 won

Pascal Noodle Soup

5,000 won

33,500 won

Debit Card

SCROLL

*ABOUT 87 USD,
15 USD, 118 USD,
15 USD, AND 33 USD
RESPECTIVELY.

SO THIS IS
LAHAN'S FAULT.
HOW DID SHE USE UP
SO MUCH MONEY
ALREADY?

AND I'M
HERE HAVING
CHEWING GUM
FOR LUNCH...

UL
UL

CHEW

CHEW

THIS IS
NO GOOD.
I NEED TO PUT A
STOP TO THIS!

I'LL BE
FIRM WITH HER
THIS TIME!

CHEW

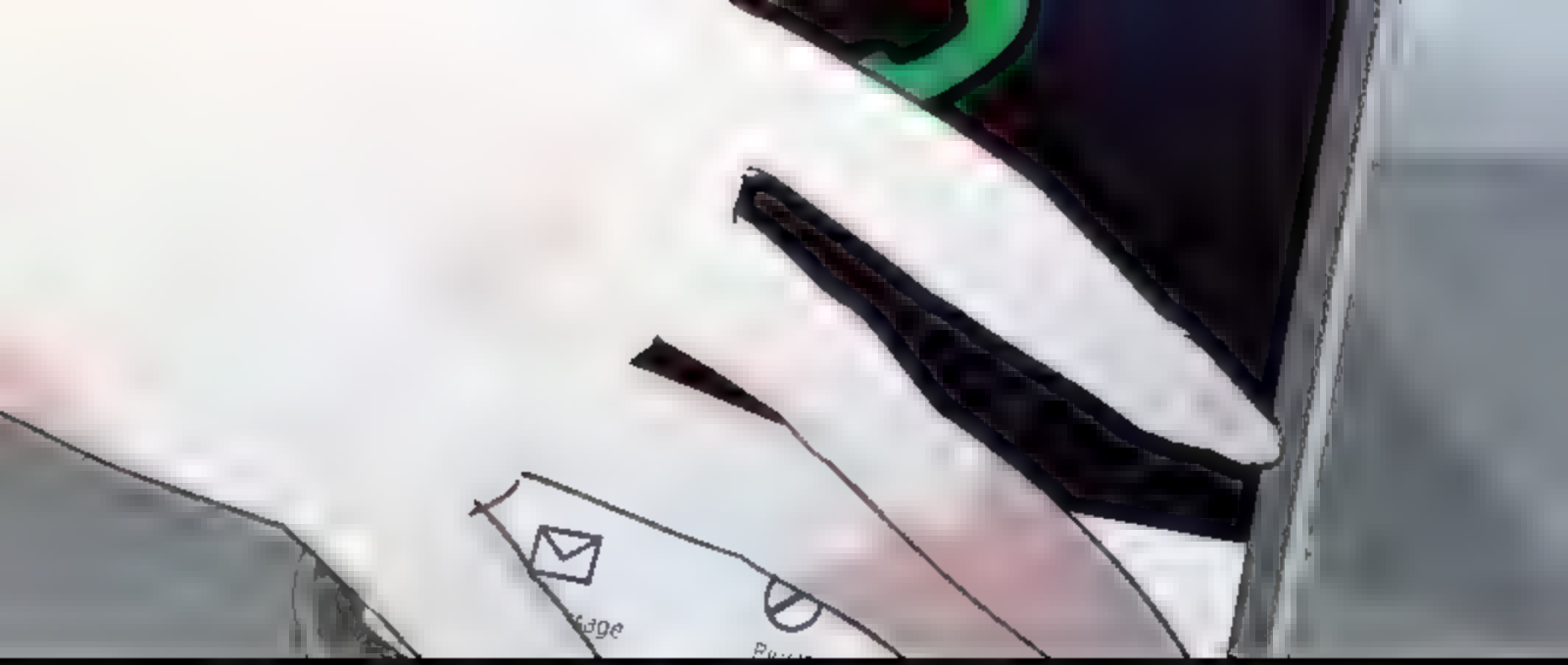




RING







CLICK

AH,
AH... CAN YOU
HEAR ME?

LAHAN, IT'S ME,
YONGRAE.



WOW,
I REALLY CAN
HEAR YOUR VOICE!
WHAT IS IT?

CAN I SEE
YOU RIGHT

YOU RIGHT
NOW?

HMM? WHAT
IS IT? I AM QUITE
TIRED...





I HAVE
SOMETHING
IMPORTANT TO TELL YOU.
WHERE ARE YOU
RIGHT NOW?

AT THE
ACCOMMODATION
NEAR YOUR HOUSE.
JUST TELL ME WHAT
IT IS NOW.



SHE MIGHT
BE UPSET AT MY
TONE IF I TELL HER THIS
OVER THE PHONE,
SO...







TO TELL ME
IN PERSON?

LAHAN?

CAN
YOU HEAR ME?
DID SHE HANG UP
ON ME?



BECAUSE IT'S THAT
IMPORTANT?!

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